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25th Satellite Office Opens at University of Arizona

(Phoenix, Ariz. – Aug. 28, 2006) Attorney General Terry Goddard today announced the opening of the newest Satellite Office on the University of Arizona campus in Tucson. The office is located at the James E. Rogers College of Law in Study Room L.

"This is our second campus office," Goddard said. "Most college students are facing serious financial decisions for the first time, and their financial inexperience makes them easy prey for consumer fraud. One in five college freshmen owes \$10,000 in credit card debt within the first year of obtaining a credit card. Students need to know there are resources available to help them recognize and avoid consumer scams."

The Attorney General's Satellite Offices are part of the Community Services Program. They provide community-based venues that make it easier for residents to access information on consumer fraud, civil and victims' rights. Volunteers staff satellite offices, make educational presentations for community groups, distribute educational materials at community events and assist individuals with filing complaints or referrals for assistance.

The UA law school, located at 1201 E. Speedway, is the 25th satellite office in Arizona. The office will be open Thursdays from 1 – 4 p.m. For more information about the Attorney General's Satellite Offices or the Community Services Program, please call 520-628-6682 or visit www.azag.gov.

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